



Task Force Marne Hero of the North



Name: PFC ALBERT CHAPA

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Private First Class Chapa is attached to Headquarters and Headquarters Co., 1-37 Armor. He consistently displays infectious enthusiasm, leadership skills, and high personal standards that far exceed his rank. PFC Chapa is the lead gunner in an element of four MRAPs that conduct combat patrols through area of operations Bandit. He diligently secures his own sector while continually updating both his fellow gunners and the leadership in the patrol of potential dangers the patrol may encounter. His ability to communicate with the entire element while leading from the front and his meticulous attention to detail are shining examples of his exceptional leadership abilities. His actions epitomize the best Soldier attributes of motivation, commitment, and loyalty, and make him a clear choice as today's Task Force Marne Hero of the North.